

Final respects paid to fallen Red Devil medic

**22nd Area Support Group
Public Affairs Office
Press Release**

The Caserma Ederle community gathered together Tuesday at 1 p.m. in the post chapel to mourn the loss of Staff Sgt. Damion Campbell.

Campbell, called 'Doc' by his fellow Soldiers, was a medic assigned to

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 508th Infantry (Airborne). He was killed when an improvised explosive device detonated near the vehicle he was in while on patrol in Afghanistan Aug. 26.

A native of Baltimore, Md., Campbell entered the Army in June 2000 and joined the 173d Airborne Brigade in March 2001 – just in time to go to Iraq with the Charlie Company 'Red Devils.'

In a moving eulogy, 1st Sgt. Mason Bryant gave the audience some insight about the kind of person and Soldier Campbell was.

"Sergeant Damion Campbell was my platoon medic for the two years that I was a platoon sergeant in the 1-508th," said Bryant. "I would say that I knew Sergeant Campbell better than most people here in SETAF. Platoon sergeants and platoon medics are battle buddies; for wherever the platoon sergeant goes, so goes the medic. The good working relationship that we had, over time, turned into a solid friendship.

"Doc Campbell was technically and tactically proficient in his trade," continued Bryant. "I would dare to say that there was no better line medic in the brigade than Doc. Doc would not shy away from doing anything that was needed to be done – no matter the circumstances – in order to take care of or treat one of the Soldiers of my platoon or the company – even with tasks that would make most grown men shudder. I have seen Doc do everything from foot checks to treat gaping gunshot wounds without ever missing a beat.

"Doc was also a paratrooper through and through, always quick to assemble on the drop zone and always ready to fill the breach when it was required. Doc was even captured on videotape one time stepping up when it mattered. It was the end of the fall 2001 Combat Maneuver Training Center rotation and my platoon was down to 11 Soldiers. We received the order to go and retake the town of Raversdorf from the OPFOR, as we were

the battalion reserve. Once we commenced the assault, we were able to breach the triple-strand wire and get up next to the first building. I looked back and there was Doc –

carrying and firing a squad automatic weapon that he had taken from a fallen Soldier. There was a combat camera team there videotaping the assault capturing Doc shooting on the move, still with his aid bag strapped to his back. Doc was a combat multiplier anyway you look at it.

"Doc was awarded numerous Army Achievement medals for his skills as a medic for someone who had so little time in the Army. He had been awarded Army Achievement medals for his actions as a medic and one also for finding an ammo cache during Operation Rapid Guardian in Kosovo in 2001. Doc's favorite line to the boys of the platoon was *"Don't make me get another AAM,"* said Bryant with a chuckle.

"Doc Campbell has honored me twice now since I first met him back in 2001," said Bryant, his voice cracking – at one point stopping to recapture his composure. "He insisted that I be the one to promote him to specialist in front of his company – which I greatly appreciated. And now he has honored me by having me tell you all what a great Soldier and person he was. Sergeant Damion Campbell will always hold a special place in my heart. He will be gone but never forgotten."

Staff Sgt. Campbell leaves behind his mother, Donna Robinson, his father, Yandell Campbell, and a brother.



Staff Sgt. Damion Campbell



A Soldier renders a final salute to honor Staff Sgt. Damion Campbell during the memorial ceremony held Tuesday in the post chapel. Campbell died in Afghanistan Aug. 26 when an improvised explosive device detonated near the vehicle he was riding in. (Photo by Diana Bahr, Outlook editor)

Tape holiday greetings for radio, television

**22nd Area Support Group
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Press Release**

Tape a FREE television message for your hometown TV station in the United States.

A television crew from the Army-Air Force Hometown News Service, based in Texas, will visit Caserma Ederle Sept. 14-15 to tape holiday greetings. Another team will be in Afghanistan Sept. 12-16 to tape messages from there.

This program offers Soldiers and civilian personnel and their family members a great opportunity to bring some holiday cheer – from Italy – to family members back home.

The messages will be aired at various times in the individual's hometown during the holiday period starting after Thanksgiving and running through the New Year.

The Hometown team and a member of the 22nd ASG Public Affairs office will be in front of the Ederle Theater both days from 8 a.m. until all customers have been served.

Basic rules:

1. All active duty military personnel, government employees, DoDDS teachers, and retirees are eligible and encouraged to participate. Servicemembers must be in uniform at the time of taping.

2. Family members may participate without the sponsor only if the servicemember is deployed or TDY.

3. Customers can do as many greetings as they wish, as long as those greetings are to family members (blood relations) in different

cities in the states. Message to friends, fiancés, former units, etc. are not permitted.

4. It is important to bring the zip code and a telephone number of a relative who lives in the home town as it's needed for the short form participants need to fill out.

Examples of a greeting include: "Hi, I'm Sergeant Jim Smith and this is my wife Ann, and my son Jim Jr. in Vicenza, Italy were we are currently stationed. We would like to wish my mother-in-law, Mary, my sister Angela both in San Antonio, the best Christmas ever, we miss you and hope to see you soon. Happy Holidays."

Again, if the military member is deployed, that needs to be said in the greeting as well.

For more information call Dorothy Carlyle, 22nd ASG Public Affairs Office at 634-7988, from off post at 0444-71-7988.



The family of a deployed Soldier sends holiday greetings to family members back in the states as part of the holiday seasons greetings program. (Outlook file photo)

OPSEC is everyone's business

Beware of what you post on the Internet

**By Gen. Peter J. Schoomaker
Chief of Staff of the Army
Command Message**

Operational Security is a chain-of-command responsibility. It is serious business and we must do a better job across the Army.

The enemy aggressively "reads" our open source and continues to exploit such information for use against our forces.

Some Soldiers continue to post sensitive information to Internet Web sites and blogs, e.g., photos depicting weapon system vulnerabilities and tactics, techniques, and procedures.

Such OPSEC violations needlessly place lives at risk and degrade the effectiveness of our operations.

This is not the first time this issue has surfaced. The Vice Chief of Staff of the

Army previously addressed this via a message in February 2005. Take a hard look at his guidance.

Leaders at all levels must take charge of this issue and get the message down to the lowest levels. To assist you, the Headquarters, Department of the Army G-2 and the OPSEC support element are developing a training module and are forming a mobile training team to assist in training your Soldiers.

Details will be provided soon. HQDA G-6 (in coordination with G-2) is directed to track and report, on a quarterly basis, open source OPSEC violations.

An interim change to AR 530-1, Operations Security, will be published via message within 30 days, which will contain clear policy concerning the posting of sensitive photos and information on the Internet.

ID card scanning underway

Gate guards are now scanning all identification cards when people are entering post.

Community members who have not yet had their ID cards updated in the

Installation Access Control System, should take care of this by visiting the IACS office in the Central Inprocessing Facility as soon as possible. For details, call the IACS office at 634-8807 or 8521.

How are we doing?
July force protection, safety news

Office of the Provost Marshal
Press Release

The Provost Marshal’s Office reminds the community that it is against the law to pass a school bus in Villaggio while the bus is stopped for loading and unloading of students.

Violators will be ticketed and four points will be assessed against the individual’s driver’s license.

The Fire Department emergency number is 634-7092. **This line is for official emergencies only!**

Do not call this emergency number to report a broken window in quarters, bees outside quarters, plumbing problems, or any problem that is not a life-or-death situation.

The Fire Department no longer responds to issues that are the direct responsibility of

other organizations on the installation. The Fire Department will not respond to calls that are not considered emergencies.

DD Form 1408’s issued during the month of August 2005 include:

- Speeding Violations: 10
- Parking Violations: 34
- Misc. Moving Violations: 10
- Stop Sign Violations: 41
- Failure to Wear Seatbelt Violations: 13
- Cell Phone Violations: 1
- Other Miscellaneous Violations: 9

Reported incidents for August 2005:
Traffic Accidents = 14 (injuries involved= 5)
Drunk Driving = 1 (involving accidents=0)
Drunk & Disorderly Conduct =1
Assaults = 4
Domestic Disturbances = 1
Lost ID Cards = 33 (Repeat Offenders= 7)

Sharepoint technology course offered here

Submitted by John Cannon
USAREURAutomation Training Center
Special to the Outlook

A new three-day automation training course, “Using Sharepoint Technologies for Knowledge Workers,” is offered by USAREUR to Army employees. This course is beneficial to all employees who use a computer in accomplishing their daily work.

The course is already posted to the UATP Web site and open for enrollment requests.

The dates for the course during 4th Quarter FY 05 are: Sept. 21 – 23 and Sept. 26 – 28. Other dates will be announced soon.

Enrollment procedures are as follows:

Note: You must have already passed the Usareur Computer User Test before being able to complete any of the items below:

- Step 1: View course syllabus
- Go to <https://www.uatp.hqusareur.army.mil>.

- Login using your User Name and Password (call 634-6077 if you need assistance with your UATP account)
 - Scroll down to Information Technology Training Program (ITTP)
 - Click on ITTP link
 - Click on “Using Sharepoint Technologies for Knowledge Workers” link.
 - Scroll down to view course syllabus.
 - Step 2: Request Enrollment
 - Click on Class Schedule link
 - Set Program to ITTP
 - Set Course to Using Sharepoint Technologies for Knowledge Workers.
 - Set Year to 2005
 - Set Month to Sept
 - Click Go button
 - Click on Using Sharepoint Technologies for Knowledge Worker Class Title for Vicenza.
 - Click Request Enrollment button.
- Contact John Cannon at 634-6077 for any assistance needed to get enrolled.

Community
Action
Council

This forum is to discuss issues that affect the community. If you have an issue that you wish to submit, visit the 22nd Area Support Group Web site at www.22asg.vicenza.army.mil and click on the Community Action Council link.

This link provides you the opportunity to review issues that have been previously submitted and responded to by post agencies.

There is also a form available for you to submit any new issue you would like addressed. If you have questions, call 634-5222 or 0444-71-5222 from off post.

The command encourages you to identify yourself when submitting a CAC issue in order to be able to answer your concern directly.

The command also reminds the community that CAC issues submitted containing vulgar, derogatory or inflammatory language will not be addressed.

Childcare is offered during the CAC at \$2.50 per hour, per child for children ages 6 weeks through kindergarten from 8:45-11:15 a.m. Preregistration is required. Children will be cared for in the Child Development Center, Building 395. Children must be registered with Child and Youth Services Central Registration.

Call 634-7219 or stop by their new location in the Davis Family Readiness Center.

The next CAC is Sept. 28 at 9 a.m. in the Ederle Theater.

Issue: Who moves Soldiers? I have a Soldier with issues who needs to move out of private rental into the barracks and I keep

getting the run around. No one wants to flip the bill for the move.

Response from Directorate of Public Works: Soldiers desiring to move from private rental to barracks should start by contacting the Housing Management Office (634-8571, Carol Jones) to discuss their options.

All AFH/UPH Soldier moves to and from private rental are not automatically government-paid moves. A definitive response to the inquiry cannot be provided because the question, as presented, does not provide enough detailed information to determine if the move should be borne by the government, or by the Soldier?

What is the reason “why” the soldier needs to move into the barracks? Is the Soldier married or single? If the Soldier is married will family members continue to reside in private rental?

General guidelines for government-paid moves are provided at the attachment based upon certain criteria. However, in all cases if a move is formally directed in “writing” by the 22nd ASG commander, the move is paid for by the government.

I suggest the individual who submitted this CAC inquiry contact Housing management directly for assistance with this issue.

Issue: Can motorcycle parking spots be added in front of the DFAC or AFN. I have five Soldiers who ride motorcycles and have to take up car parking spots in front of these facilities.

Response from DPW: There are currently 15 motorcycle parking spaces across the street from the DFAC in the parking lot on the north end of Hoekstra Field. Six of these spaces are within 30 meters of the front door of the DFAC. This is where motorcycles should be parked.

Cultivating community

The 22nd Area Support Group Chaplain’s Family Life Office, in partnership with deployed SETAF and 173d Airborne Brigade chaplains, is writing a series of devotional articles based on the best-selling book, “A Purpose Driven Life,” by Pastor Rick Warren.

The intent of these articles is to offer deployed Soldiers and their family members a devotional meditation which they can use for weekly discussion and to hopefully deepen their spiritual connection during the separation.

Pastor Mikaela Cade
Vicenza Full Gospel
Pentacostal Service

I went to my favorite Internet search engine and in the search space, typed the words “community cultivation.”

And what popped up? Innumerable links to gardening projects and beautification plans. Seemingly out of place was a simple no frills advertisement that read: “Create a community online, in 30 minutes, it’s free!!!”

As I read the advertisement, it struck a cord in me. I scanned the entire page again and realized this is good stuff.

These two thoughts – though completely opposite – provide a perfect illustration of Rev. Rick Warren’s message on cultivating community. In fact, they give us insight to our current thoughts and the direction that we should be heading.

Cultivating community is not just about you or me; it is about us. In fact, community (as defined by Mr. Webster) is “a group of people living together as a smaller social unit within a larger one, and having interest, work, etc., in common.”

Cultivating community is about us experiencing God and having real, true, meaningful fellowship with our brothers and sisters.

Real fellowship is the kind that produces a healthy stable person committed and contributing to a common goal.

Real fellowship doesn’t just happen because we show for a meeting, service or event.

Real fellowship is life changing. It puts you closer to God and opens the pathway to you achieving His highest purpose for your life.

Real fellowship creates for us a healthy, satisfying community that lives in right relationship with God and enjoys the fruit of His blessings. It destroys barriers and builds on the common interest of our creator.

So, where are we? The no-frills ad led us to believe that we prefer to get along anonymously without commitment, without really having to deal with each other, without really meeting any needs bigger than our own.

This is not community. And you may think, ‘I don’t even feel that way,’ yet, our actions show what we really believe.

If I am making excuses as to why I can’t connect to a local body of believers; if I am complaining about the state of my current fellowship; if I am having difficulty understanding my purpose and pursuing it, then perhaps I have embraced some of the subliminal messages of the ad.

If it seems easier to stay disconnected than commit and invest in building that which is already around, you may be closer to clicking the link on the page than you think.

Cultivating community is about commitment and risk taking. The risk is finding out that we have differences; the

commitment is not giving up on people or places just because of those differences.

Many times, when we find out that we’re surrounded by flawed people, we get discouraged and lose interest in being as committed to that group as we should.

Before you know it, we go off in search of another group that seems like they will be the ones to meet our needs, because they look like a group of people just like us. Then we find out they have flaws too, and the cycle goes on and on. This is not cultivating community.

God created each of us on purpose and, by His grace, made us incredibly different; yet in His plan He made us all to be a part of one family. We are to serve one purpose - His.

Sometimes, it seems that we lose focus of that fact, especially when relationships or situations rub us the wrong way.

It seems easy to give up on difficult situations or difficult people but that’s not what God calls us to do. God did not give up on us. He was and is committed to our success.

In order to cultivate community in our own fellowships we must be committed to the overall success of God’s plan; that we share a healthy, satisfying life in right relationship with God, respecting and caring for one another, pursing and fulfilling purpose.

Pastor Rick Warren provokes us to think about what we really want and helps us to explore our willingness to get there. He gives us these keys to cultivating community:

Cultivating community requires commitment: If you’re tired of fake fellowship and you would like to cultivate real fellowship and a loving community in your small group, Sunday school class and church, you’ll need to make some tough choices and take some risks.

Cultivating community takes honesty: Real fellowship depends on frankness. In fact, the tunnel of conflict is the passageway to intimacy in any relationship.

Until you care enough to confront and resolve the underlying barriers, you will never grow close to each other.

Cultivating community takes humility: Humility is not thinking less of yourself; it is thinking of yourself less. Humility is thinking more of others. Humble people are so focused on serving others, they don’t think of themselves.

Cultivating community takes courtesy: The truth is, we all have quirks and annoying traits.

But community has nothing to do with compatibility. The basis for our fellowship is our relationship to God: we are family.

Cultivating community takes confidentiality: Only in the safe environment of warm acceptance and trusted confidentiality will people open up and share their deepest hurts, needs, and mistakes.

Confidentiality does not mean keeping silent while your brother or sister sins. It means that what is shared in your group needs to stay in your group, and the group needs to deal with it, not gossip to others about it.

Cultivating community takes frequency: You must have frequent, regular contact with your group in order to build genuine fellowship. Relationships take time.

We can see that the benefits cultivating true community brings us into a deeper more meaningful relationship with God and others.

How committed are you? Are you ready to commit?

Policy on wearing clothing in public places on post

Maj. Gen. David Zabecki
SETAF Rear commander
Command policy letter

This policy memorandum establishes unauthorized clothing and dress for public facilities on post. This policy applies to all personnel (Soldiers, civilians, and family members) utilizing facilities of the Vicenza and Camp Darby military communities. This policy also applies to all U.S. Army SETAF units and all subordinate commands and tenant units.

In order to establish and preserve law and order, health, welfare, morals, decorum and safety for our military communities, the following forms of dress are not authorized at on-post facilities of the Vicenza and Camp Darby military communities. Failure to adhere to this policy will result in denied entry to, or removal from, the public facility.

a. No roller-skates, Rollerblades, Heelys, or any shoe variation thereof containing wheels. Heelys are roller shoes with a single removable wheel on the heel of each shoe, allowing the individual to remove the wheel and walk normally where skating is not authorized. Individuals will remove the wheels from the Heelys prior to entering an establishment.

b. No pants, shorts, skirts or dresses that reveal any part of the undergarments, or that are worn excessively below the waist.

c. No pants, shorts, skirts, or dresses that reveal any part of the buttocks.

d. No see-through (mesh or net) shirts and blouses, no muscle shirts or tank tops that expose any part of the chest, and no T-shirts with obscene or drug-related designs or printing. Obscene includes, but is not limited to, a design or printing that is sexually explicit, sexually suggestive, violent, a promotion or celebration of alcohol use/abuse, and may be written in any language.

e. No item that is designed as an undergarment (i.e., tank top undershirts) worn as an outer garment.

f. No items that resemble any affiliation with gangs or any extremist organization.

g. No swimsuits or swim wear unless worn in a designated swim area.

h. No form of incomplete or out-of-uniform appearance, or mixing of military uniform with civilian clothing, that is not in accordance with AR 670-1.

i. No soiled or sweaty physical fitness uniforms unless worn in a designated physical fitness area. This is especially important in facilities that serve food (Dining Facility, food court, etc.).

j. No male Soldier will wear earrings.

k. No Soldier (regardless of gender) will have any form of body piercings, except that female Soldiers may wear earrings in accordance with AR 670-1.

Point of contact for the above is SETAF Rear Command Sgt. Maj. Richard Weik, at 634-5706.

Reference: AR 670-1, Wear and Appearance of Army Uniforms and Insignia, 3 Feb 05.

Community Policy Memorandum 05-01, 16 May 05.

Interactive Counseling Centers keeps Soldiers connected to children back home

Story and photo
By Sgt. Allison Anderson
CJTF-76 Public Affairs
Special to the Outlook

Deployed troops can stay active in their child's education thanks to the Interactive Counseling Centers now available at Bagram Airfield.

Originally designed to help eliminate some of the problems that face military children, like a parent's base move in the middle of a school year, service members throughout Afghanistan will soon be able to take advantage of the ICC network to stay involved in their child's schooling.

"ICC gives troops the flexibility to be involved in their children's

education and won't leave deployed parents out," said Sgt. 1st Class Edward Wilson, Information Assurance NCOIC for Combined Joint Task Force-76.

Donated by the Military Child Education Coalition for Department of Defense Dependents Schools, the web-based virtual conferencing network, ICC, provides students, parents and counselors the opportunity to prepare the student for the upcoming academic year. This is especially helpful if they know their child will be transferring or can be used as an academic counseling tool for deployed parents.

"Children who are having problems because one parent is

deployed, parents and teachers can say, 'lets talk about this issue' and troops can get involved," said Wilson.

Using the system's software plug-ins and up-to-date technology, parents, counselors and the student can look over transcripts interacting in real-time, using a virtual pointer to make notes on the scanned documents on the computer screen, all the while using voice and video links.

Currently, parents can link up with some 150 ICCs throughout Unites States and Europe manned by trained staff and counselors.

Soldiers, whose home base is in Vicenza, can make an appointment with consideration of the two and half hour time difference or up to 14 hours time difference for schools in the U.S.

So far, Bagram is the first to get the system, said Wilson.

Service members can contact the Bagram MWR ICC coordinator to set up an appointment with counselor.

ICC has a running time clock to coordinating the different time zones if the counselor of the school the student will be attending is in the U.S., while the service member is still at Bagram. For information on the ICC on Caserma Ederle, contact Vicenza Elementary School at 634-7710, or Vicenza Middle/High School at 634-7656,



A Soldier based at Bagram Airbase is able to stay involved in her child's schooling, thanks to the Interactive Counseling Centers now available on the airbase. The ICC uses video and voice technology that enables the students, parents, and school counselors the ability to work on issues in real-time.

Dental no-shows reduce access for community

By Maj. Gen. David T. Zabecki
SETAF Rear commander

A significant amount of dental treatment time is lost each month due to failed appointments. Failed appointments result in reduced access to care for the entire SETAF community.

Effective immediately, both Caserma Ederle and Camp Darby will institute the following failed appointment policy:

a. Active Duty

1. The first failed appointment will result in counseling by the OIC or NCOIC of the Dental Clinic before reappointment.

2. The second failed appointment within a 12-month period will be reported by the Clinic to the unit commander of the

Soldier concerned. The unit commander must request a subsequent appointment.

3. A third failed appointment within a 12-month period will result in notification to the Chief of Staff, USASETAF Rear (ABN) (P), for further action.

4. Emergency and standby space available care will continue to be available.

b. Family members of active duty Soldiers:

1. The first failed appointment by a family member will result in the sponsor being counseled by the OIC or NCOIC of the Dental Clinic before reappointment.

2. The second failed appointment within a 12-month period will result in a letter forwarded to the sponsor's unit

commander. The unit commander must request a subsequent appointment.

3. A third failed appointment within a 12-month period will be forwarded through the sponsor's chain of command to the Chief of Staff, USASETAF Rear (ABN) (P). No further appointments will be provided until requested by the Chief of Staff.

4. Standby space available and emergency care will continue to be provided.

Point of contact for this memorandum is the Dental Commander at 634-7781.

Editor's Note: This is from CG's Policy Memorandum 05-11 (Dental Office), Failed Dental appointments, dated March 30, 2005.

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Need translation help? Two options are available. Call the Family Readiness Center at 634-7969, off post at 0444-71-7969 and ask for a volunteer translator.

Or for documentation translation, call Military OneSource toll-free at 800-3429-6477.

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Mystery of how (snail) mail moves explained

APO gives insight to U.S., Army postal system

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Special to the Outlook

What exactly happens to a package after it is mailed at the Army Post Office? And how do those pieces of mail come to arrive in each CMR box?

The process involves a lot of hard work and moving parts, but in the end, with elements in Europe and United States working together, the Military Postal System is an extremely efficient means of getting mail to all hard-working American Soldiers, civilians, families, and friends all over the globe.

It all starts when that letter or package leaves a customer's hands and enters the back of the local APO.

Dependent upon destination, mail is sorted, weighed, and labeled with flight tags for the airport closest to its final destination and then loaded onto the mail truck.

Mail bound for America is sent to the mail terminal at JFK Airport in New York, where it is sorted and sent to regional post offices in the states.

If mail is going to another overseas location, there are also flights to Paris, London, Rome, Madrid, Iceland, Israel, Japan, Korea, Turkey, and, of course, Iraq and Afghanistan.

When the APO's doors close for the day, all mail taken in that day is weighed, tagged, sealed, and loaded onto the mail truck in preparation for movement to the airport.

Once all mail has been loaded onto the mail truck, the proper flight documents (AV-7s) are generated. Without these documents, or if there is one error on these documents, mail will not get onto a flight.

The mail truck leaves Vicenza each weekday evening and Saturday morning for the Venice Airport.

Vicenza APO personnel meet the truck in Venice, off-load each piece of mail and load it in to the proper flight container (i.e. Delta Airlines, Lufthansa, British Airways, Ibiza, etc.).

Once the flight container is filled, the container is pulled into a warehouse where it waits to board its flight the next morning.

All mail that was received at the airport that day is then loaded onto the mail truck bound for Vicenza. Once back in Vicenza, all mail is off-loaded and broken down.

The hours of 9-11 a.m. is mail call, this is where the Community Mail Room picks up all mail for the community and sorts it into the appropriate mail box.

The other way mail arrives in Vicenza is through what is known as the "bulk truck."

This is Space Available Mail or Parcel Airlift Mail, otherwise known as the "slow" way mail travels.

Roughly 95 percent of the community's mail arrives through Venice Marco-Polo Airport, however, the remaining 5 percent arrives each week via the bulk truck.

Items that arrive this way are usually large, oversized, and heavy. This is the cheap way to get items to Europe, the counterpart to what is known in the states as "ground shipping."

Keep in mind that there is no such thing as "ground shipping" to Europe.

If a package is sent SAM or PAL to an overseas location it can travel one of two ways to reach its destination:

1. It can travel by plane (typically used for small, lightweight packages) or,

2. It can travel by cargo ship and arrive on the bulk truck.

Here is a break down of how items arrive via the bulk truck:

1. An item is taken to local U.S. post office. The item is then trucked to New York/JFK (takes approximately one week).

2. The item is put into a container at the port in New York until the container has enough items on it to be put onto a cargo ship traveling to Europe, this can take a week.



A community member receives a package from Joe Chavez, one of the mail clerks who work at the Community Mail Room. (Photos by Laura Kreider, Outlook staff)

3. When the container is adequately full, it is put on a ship to Rotterdam, Holland, (ship voyage lasts about one week).

4. Once in Rotterdam, the container is put on a train to Milan (train trip is about one week).

At this point, the package has already been in transit for about four weeks!

5. From Milan, the container is put on a truck and trucked to Padova and then to the customs office in Torri di Quartosolo. This takes about two to three days.

6. At Torri, the container undergoes a customs inspection before finally arriving at Caserma Ederle.

7. The bulk truck arrives each Thursday or Friday. The postmark on most packages arriving this way ranges between five to six weeks old.

What's the message here? Postal clients are reminded that, for bulk truck items, one should generally allow at least two months for shipping. Most standard mail items arrive within four to six weeks, but it is good to plan ahead.

And lastly, there's another kind of mail: Registered Mail. Registered mail is the most secure way mail can travel, as it must stay in American hands at all times.

There is a meticulous system for tracking and accountability as someone must sign for it each time it changes hands. Because of these circumstances, registered mail cannot fly out of the Venice Airport. This mail leaves via MAC flights out of Aviano Air Base.

Each morning a Vicenza APO registered mail clerk travels to Aviano to drop off and pick up Registered Mail.

Outgoing registered mail is taken directly to the flight line in Aviano where it awaits a MAC flight to the states.

Any incoming registered mail is picked up, signed for, and brought back to Vicenza.

While registered mail may take longer to receive than priority Mail, because of the paperwork required when it changes hands, it will ALWAYS arrive at its destination.

A few side notes: 100 percent of the community's mail (aside from registered mail) departs via Venice. Because of this, sometimes it can be a good idea to save a few extra dollars and send your package SAM or PAL because it will usually fly – not go via cargo ship – directly to a major airport gateway. *However, this is not always guaranteed.*

Depending upon the final destination, that SAM or PAL piece of mail is usually put on a truck once it arrives at the U.S. mail gateway and is shipped via ground the remainder of the distance to the recipient.

Therefore, SAM or PAL mail going to the states is faster than the same class of mail coming from the states.

First Class/Priority Mail to and from the U.S. takes anywhere between four to seven days to arrive. It is fairly quick.

The Express Military Mail Service offered at the Vicenza post office is not guaranteed at all. Our finance clerks actively discourage postal patrons from utilizing the EMMS service.

Instead, by using priority mail service, patrons can save money and see their mail arriving at its destination usually in the same amount of time as it takes an express item to arrive.

As always, if there are any questions or concerns pertaining to mail, please know that the Soldiers and civilians at 4th Platoon, 510th Postal Company will be happy to assist in any way possible!



A community mailroom clerk, brings out a box from the back of the CMR before handing it to a customer.



Above: A customer signs a customs form after the Postal Finance clerk, weighed the package. Left: A postal clerk, loads some packages onto the mail truck in preparation to go to Venice. The mail truck leaves Vicenza each week day evening and Saturday morning for the Venice Airport.

Cadets work on leadership skills at camps

Cadet Master Sgt. Kaytee Emmons
JROTC Public Affairs Officer
Special to the Outlook

During the summer, various Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps camps and schools were held to help prepare cadets become better leaders.

The camps included the Junior ROTC Cadet Leadership Challenge in Grafenwoehr, Germany; the Summer Leadership School, conducted at Kapaun Air Base, Germany, and the United Kingdom's Army Cadet Force Camp.

While the camps were held at different installations, they had the same goal: to encourage cadets to perform leadership roles and activities that could help them become better leaders and learn how to work as a team.

The Cadet Leadership Challenge camp was a 10-day course that included numerous activities that challenged the cadets physically and mentally.

Cadets were divided into two companies and leadership roles were switched daily providing every cadet an opportunity to learn different leadership styles.

The cadets who attended JCLC included Cadet Pfc Chrissie Rawlins, David Myers, James Nausadis, Matthew Kiepert, Cameron Garrett, and Cadet Capt. Noel Fernando.

Upon successful completion of the camp, the cadets are promoted.

The Air Force Summer Leadership School was two weeks full of classes where cadets learned many military customs.

Among the courses cadets participated in was a rocketry class where they built their individual rockets, shot them off and safely recovered them to earn the rocketry badge.

They also took a field trip to the Belgian Space Museum where they learned how hard it is to actually live in space.

The cadets who attended this camp included Cadet 1st Lt. Chris Stepps and Cadet Master Sgt. Kaytee Emmons.

Working with the Bristol Army Cadet Force, were two cadets from Vicenza: Cadet Sgt. Ben Franke and Cadet Sgt. 1st Class David Sherrick.

This camp was the more physically challenging of the three camps, as cadets would do various activities to test their mental and physical strength.

For example, cadets spent three days in a field environment, learned rappeling and more. Cadets also had the privilege of touring the HMS Victory, Nelson's flagship at the Battle of at Trafalgar in 1805.

All and all, the cadets had a good time, while learning new leadership and team-building skills that they can take back to their battalions.

Red Cross Volunteer of the Month chosen

By Stacy Shackelford
Red Cross Field Office assistant

The American Red Cross, Vicenza station, is pleased to announce Sarah Dumlao as our Volunteer of the Month.

Sarah participated in a fundraiser to purchase AAFES gift cards for deployed Soldiers, which raised more than \$300, as well as the Fourth of July fundraiser.

She put together comfort kits, which are given to Soldiers and family members who are sent to San Bortolo hospital for treatment.

Dumlao also attended training sessions on CPR, Babysitting, HIV and Alcohol and Substance Abuse, and can now use those skills to provide trained babysitting in the community.

She collated gift boxes to be sent to deployed units.

Sarah earned her certification in Intro to Disaster Training and gained knowledge of other American Red Cross programs on Water Safety and emergency communications.

Thank you and congratulations, Sarah!

Vicenza Red Cross seeks volunteer instructors

By Darlene Sehorn
American Red Cross - Vicenza
Station Manager
Special to the Outlook

The American Red Cross provides community courses in CPR, First Aid, and Babysitter's training. These classes are offered on a monthly basis at a significantly lower cost than can usually be found stateside.

Many people need these classes for work, but more importantly these skills are vital in times of emergency.

Many new parents are eager to take the Child / Infant CPR, and any child between 11 and 15 is encouraged to take the Babysitter's training course.

This program is made possible by volunteer instructors like Air Force Tech Sgt. Jennifer Wessner, who was the June Volunteer of the Month for the Red Cross and the Caserma Ederle Volunteer of the Quarter.

Unfortunately, the Red Cross does not have very many volunteers like her.

With the recent deployments the number of volunteer instructors has dwindled to a critical level. Because of the limited number of instructors available, the Red Cross has had to cut back on the number courses offered.

"Not having enough instructors makes scheduling ahead very difficult," says Elizabeth Nelson, the Red Cross Health and Safety chairman.

The Red Cross is offering a CPR/First Aid Instructor course Sept. 29 – Oct. 2.

Participants must be CPR/First Aid certified and be able to attend all three days of training.

Participants will also have the opportunity to orient to the Babysitter's Training materials.

The cost for the course is \$75, a scholarship is available for anyone willing to commit to teaching at least four community classes.

An additional \$25 will be charged for the Babysitter's training materials.

If you are interested in either of these programs, please contact the American Red Cross at 634-7089, off post at 0444-71-7089, or you can stop by the office in Davis Family Readiness Center, Room 47.

Help for Hurricane Katrina victims

The Vicenza American Red Cross has received numerous inquiries on how individuals and groups can lend their support to victims of Hurricane Katrina.

Ways the community can help include: using our Web site at redcross.org to donate online; call 1-800-HELP-NOW to donate by telephone; or stop by the American Red Cross on Caserme Ederle and make a donation by cash or check.

Right now, the number one priority of the American Red Cross and local authorities is

rescue, shelter, food, and water. Rescue efforts are still in full swing and more than half a million homes are without power.

Unfortunately, the American Red Cross does not have welfare data for individuals in the affected area, and the Red Cross is being challenged to shelter and feed everyone in need, while dealing with the same communications problems as everyone outside the devastated areas.

In order to best serve those who need it most, welfare inquiries can only be accepted which involve a potential medical or mental health emergency of a family member in the disaster-affected area.

For more information we encourage you to visit the following Web site that describes the current state of affairs in the area affected by Katrina and provides suggestions for people in the affected area to advise family of their whereabouts and welfare, www.redcross.org.

Vicenza Middle school holds Family Night

Not, it's not detention, the large turnout of parents and students was for the Middle School Family Night at Vicenza Middle/High School Wednesday. Standing at left, a VMS teacher told the audience what goals the Vicenza Middle School teachers have this year: Helping students build a solid academic and personal foundation for the future; success for all their students; and regular and meaningful communication with parents. Parents are cordially invited to visit any and all Vicenza Middle School classrooms. (Photo by Laura Kreider, Outlook staff)



Out & About

Town festivals
Grisignano di Zocco, located 16 km east of Vicenza, will hold its town fair Friday through Wednesday.

At this *sagra* you'll find a large market, rides for children, exhibitions and large food tents.

Friday, the markets and other events start at 6 p.m.; Saturday they begin at 3 p.m.; Sunday and Monday they open at 8 a.m.; Tuesday and Wednesday they start at 3 p.m.

Parking is on the outskirts of the *sagra* area. This is a popular event.

The town of Maragnole di Breganze will hold their 'Septemberfest' Friday through Sunday serving pork on the spit and bottled beer in a large tent.

There will also be a music groups each evening. The town is located 19 km north of Vicenza.

Thiene is holding a '*Buon Rientro*' (welcome back) celebration for it's citizens returning from vacation Friday at 9 p.m.

In 11 of its squares, different music groups will play – enjoy jazz, funky, Latin-American, Dixie, music from the 70's and other.

Stores will remain open until 10 p.m., and the music ends at 1 a.m. Thiene is located 19 km northwest of Vicenza.

Human Bingo game

Every odd-numbered year, Nove hosts the *Pissota*, a living bingo game in the main square.

This year the games are Friday, Saturday and Sunday beginning at 9 p.m.

The game board consists of 64 figures, such as the sun, the woman stomping grapes, the snake, the wheel, and so on, with each one corresponding to a number.

In the Nove game, the game board is the town square and each figure is a person dressed in the costume of their designated figure, so you'll see someone dressed as a chair, another one as a castle, and so on!

While the game takes place, scenes from rural life are reenacted, such as market day, storytelling around the fire and, of course, ceramics making.

The whole town shows up for the game, for the daily 1,000 Euro prize. Tickets cost 25 euro which includes two cards. Entrance is free for children under age 5.

Each participant will receive a ceramic bowl the 'pissota' emblem on it.

For details on the events and to

reserve your seats in Nove, call 0424- 590-555, between 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., or go to the Web site www.pissota.it, in Italian only.

Also taking place Saturday and Sunday is the 8th Ceramics Festival where the ceramic-makers open their doors, offering courses so you can try your hand at pottery making.

Blooming Brenta

This event held Sunday is probably the most important event on the Rivera del Brenta and all the villages along the banks of the Naviglio Canal join in.

The event reenacts the passage along the Rivera of Henry III, King of France, which took place in 1574, the year the sovereign visited Venice.

The king entered the city after having followed the course of the River Brenta from Padova, passing the great country villas of the Venetian nobility.

Starting at the town of *Stra* the event starts at 9 a.m. with the meeting between the Doge and Henry III, a historical parade and a gathering of the rowers near the bridge in front of Villa Foscari.

At 10 a.m. the regatta begins; at 11:30 a.m. in Dolo they arrive at the *Foro Boario*, where there is a concert by a local band and a historical parade through the streets towards the ex-Macello.

The water parade starts again from Via Trieste at 12:30 p.m. with the arrival of the boats at Villa dei Leoni in the town of Mira, the boats then go towards Malcontenta when at 5 p.m. there will be an award ceremony.

Historical reenactment

King Frederick II and his court return to Castelfranco Veneto, in the province of Treviso, Friday through Sunday in the form of a historical reenactment recalling the winter of 1235-36 when he stayed there.

Saturday events: In the afternoon, outside the castle walls, a medieval-style military camp opens in a 'living history' display.

Visitors will see articles produced by craftsmen, stonecutters, blacksmiths, cobblers, and you can watch jesters, minstrels, and Soldiers conducting training exercises. It's open until 11 p.m.

At 6 p.m., the medieval market and taverns will open; at 9 p.m. there's medieval dancing in the main square and the 'historical parade of the emperor.

By Dorothy Spagnuolo

Sunday, from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m., guided visits of the military camp are offered; at 11 a.m. taverns opening; at 2 p.m. the market opens; at 4 p.m. there is a historical parade; and at 5 p.m. a medieval contest is held.

The contest is designed for young men who want to show off their strength and ability in the hope of winning the attention of their favorite female.

They will compete outside a temporary wooden 'castle' by crossing a forest, fording a swamp, digging a tunnel, going over a moat and then knocking down the gate of the castle to get to the damsel inside.

Later in the evening there will also be flag-throwing procession, music, jesters and jugglers along with such unique entertainment as witnessing the capture, trial and condemnation of traitors and thieves at the hands of the knights of the castle.

To join in the fun foods and goods on sale may be purchased with 'coins' from that era.

Castelfranco Veneto is 28 km east of Vicenza, in case of bad weather, events take place the following weekend.

Upcoming concerts

Oct. 21: The White Stripes appear in Bologna

Oct. 30: The Oasis are in Milan
Oct. 29: Dream Theater in Milan and Oct. 30 in Bologna

Nov. 3: Michael Bolton appears in Padova and Nov. 5 in Milan

Nov. 10: Bob Dylan performs in Bologna and Nov. 12 in Milan

Nov. 14: Coldplay has two concerts in Milan, then appears Nov. 15 in Bologna.

Oktoberfest begins

Oktoberfest in Munich kicks off at noon Sept. 17 when the mayor of Munich will have the honor of tapping the first keg of beer.

Opening hours are 10 a.m.-10:30 p.m. weekdays and 9 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. weekends.

Family days are Sept. 21 and Sept. 28 from noon-6 p.m. Find discounted rides and entrance fees. The festival ends Oct. 3.

Ikea opens

Ikea, the Swedish home store, opens in Padova Sept. 21. at 7 p.m.

The store is located right at the Padova est autostrada exit, and will be open daily from 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Now Showing

Caserma Ederle Theater		
Sept. 6	CLOSED	5 p.m.
Sept. 7	Batman Begins (PG13)	7 p.m.
Sept. 8	Land of the Dead (R)	7 p.m.
Sept. 9	Charlie & the Chocolate Factory (PG-13)	7 p.m.
	War of the Worlds (PG13)	10 p.m.
Sept. 10	Bewitched (PG13)	2 p.m.
	War of the Worlds (PG13)	7 p.m.
	Charlie & the Chocolate Factory (PG13)	10 p.m.
Sept. 11	Charlie & the Chocolate Factory (PG13)	2 p.m.
	Herbie: Fully Loaded (PG)	7 p.m.
Sept. 12	CLOSED	
Sept. 13	CLOSED	

Camp Darby Theater		
Sept. 9	Fantastic Four (PG13)	7 p.m.
Sept. 10	Rebound (PG)	7 p.m.

Movie Synopsis

BATMAN BEGINS - *Christian Bale, Ken Watanabe*. The origins of the Batman legend and the Dark Knight's emergence as a force for good in Gotham. In the wake of his parents' murder, disillusioned industrial heir Bruce travels the world seeking the means to fight injustice and turn fear against those who prey on the fearful. He returns to Gotham and unveils his alter-ego: Batman, a masked crusader who uses his strength, intellect and an array of high tech deceptions to fight the sinister forces that threaten the city.

LAND OF THE DEAD - *Simon Baker, Asia Argento*. In a modern-day world where the walking dead roam, the living try to lead "normal" lives behind the walls of a fortified city. Outside the city walls, an army of the dead is evolving. Inside, anarchy is on the rise. With the very survival of the city at stake, a group of hardened mercenaries is called into action to protect the living from an army of the dead.

WAR OF THE WORLDS - *Tom Cruise, Miranda Otto*. Ray is a working class man living in New Jersey. He's estranged from his family, his life isn't in order, and he's too caught up with himself. But the unthinkable and, ultimately, the unexpected happens to him in an extraordinary sense. His small town life is shaken violently by the arrival of destructive intruders: Martians which have come enmasse to destroy Earth.

BEWITCHED - *Nicole Kidman, Will Ferrell*. When Jack accidentally runs into Isabel, he becomes convinced she could play the witch Samantha in his new TV series. Isabel is also taken with Jack, seeing him as the quintessential mortal man with whom she can settle down and lead the normal life she so desires. It turns out they're both right—but in ways neither of them ever imagined.

CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY *Johnny Depp, Freddie Highmore*. Charlie Bucket, a boy from an impoverished family under the shadow of a giant chocolate factory, wins a candy bar contest and is given a tour, along with four other children, of the amazing factory run by the eccentric Willy Wonka and his staff of Oompa-Loompas.

HERBIE: FULLY LOADED - *Lindsay Lohan, Justin Long*. Maggie, the new owner of Number 53 - the free-wheelin' Volkswagen bug with a mind of its own - puts the car through its paces on the road to becoming a NASCAR® competitor. Herbie's got some new tricks under his hood.

FANTASTIC FOUR - *Ioan Gruffudd, Jessica Alba*. When an experimental space voyage goes awry, four people are changed by cosmic rays. Reed , inventor and leader of the group gains the ability to stretch his body, and takes the name, Mr. Fantastic. His girlfriend Sue, gains the ability to turn invisible and create force fields, calling herself the Invisible Woman. Her younger brother Johnny gains the ability to control fire, including covering his own body with flame, becoming the Human Torch. Pilot Ben is turned into a super-strong rock creature calling himself Thing. Together, they use their unique powers to explore the strange aspects of the world, and to foil the evil plans of Doctor Doom.

REBOUND - *Martin Lawrence, Wendy Raquel*. Robinson Coach Roy once was college basketball's top mastermind. But lately his attentions have been on his next endorsements, not on his next game. What's more, Roy's temper has run amuck, leading to his being banned from college ball until he can demonstrate compliance—in other words, not explode every time he walks onto the court. Roy waits and waits; for a suitable coaching offer, but he receives only one: the Mount Vernon Junior High School Smelters basketball squad.

Admission: Adults age 12 and over \$4, children \$2.
The Ederle Theatre box office opens one hour prior to show time. Tickets to blockbuster shows are presold at Baskin Robbins.

Three day getaways

FRENCH RIVIERA

Closer, cheaper than you think

Story and photos

By Carlos Lazo

Special to the Outlook

Have you ever been at home during the weekend with nothing to do? The house is clean (or as clean as it's going to get), there's nothing on TV, the neighbors are being annoying, or you have that urge to just get up and go somewhere but you don't know where?

Solution: PCS – or if your not feeling that bold, you can always get your car, grab your passport, pack the significant other, and head west to Nice (pronounced Niece), France, also known as the French Riviera.

Now I know what you're thinking, the French Riviera (Monte Carlo, Nice, Cannes, etc.) is too far to drive to. Not so, with average traffic and driving the speed limit, you can be there in under five hours.

On the way to Nice, there is the world famous beautiful city of Monte Carlo, in the municipality of Monaco. Monte Carlo is not a cheap town to visit, but affordable hotel rooms can be found with a little bit of patience and luck. The least expensive hotel will cost about 65 Euros for a double, 50 to 60 Euros for a single - but don't expect breathtaking ocean views from your window, more likely it will be the backside of another hotel. But spending less on your room will free up your credit card to spend more on souvenirs. Besides, you're not there to sit in a hotel room all day, are you?

The two most popular areas in Monte Carlo, especially at night, are the areas surrounding the Casino and the Port. The Casino is a luxurious building with a beautiful garden and fountain directly in front and exotic cars every where (for an 'interesting' moment, park your 1972 Peugeot 205 directly in front of the Casino, right between a Rolls Royce Bentley and Lamborghini).

You can enjoy this area by walking through the gardens and admiring the beauty all around, but in order to enter many of the establishments you must be dress as if you were attending your best friend's wedding or meeting with the president. Just kidding, it's not that extreme, but formal attire is a must, no flip-flops (I tried).

The port area is another popular spot, with its beautiful view of the sea and its many shops. This is home to many of the wealthier guests, as they often dock their gigantic yachts here during their stay.

The Royal Palace (home to Monaco's Monarchy), Exotic Gardens and Cathedral can also be reached from this area. In addition to the scenery, the main street of the Port also serves as the race track for Formula One races. Much of Monaco can be seen in one day, with every additional day of exploring leading to even more photo opportunities.

Once you've had your fill of Monte Carlo

and all its beauty, you can follow the signs to Nice, located only 20 minutes away.

There are several ways of getting to Nice: either follow the signs back to the French autostrada, or just follow the signs on the regular roads, as this option will take you on a more scenic journey.

Nice is considered the gem of the French Riviera. Although the city has many sights to behold, one of the best areas is the section of beach in between the main port and the airport.

This stretch of beach has everything from grand hotels with amazing views to restaurants serving many types of seafood. Hotel prices range from 115 Euros for couples (single room) and up (note: for an additional person you only pay 30 Euro, that's only about 49 Euro each), but are well worth it.

Many tourist centers are spread out among the city, easily found by the large italic *I* posted in front. These centers can provide help in anything from booking a hotel to setting up a bus tour around the city, and they all have employees who speak English, Italian and French. Visiting these centers will help you in to experience all that Nice has to offer in a more efficient and affordable way.

One of the most exciting sports available on the beaches is *parascending*. For those who do not what this is, here is a simple equation: **You + Parachute + Rope + Boat = Parascending**. Or ... sailing over the water as you're wearing a parachute, being pulled by a boat.

There are several different companies on the beach that offer parascending and charge about 40-50 Euros per person (it's cheaper for couples) for about 15 to 20 minutes of sailing, depending upon location and time of day.

For you land lovers, a bus tour can be set up through the nearest tourist center and is another wonderful choice on the list of things to do.

These tours costs about 17 Euro and takes you all around the city, from the city port to the archeological site with the Roman ruins, past the Russian Cathedral, along the Museum of Beautiful Arts, and plenty of other sites that will cause you to say, "Ooohhhh and aaahhhh." Just make sure to bring extra memory cards for your digital camera.

Since Nice is a French city, it also has an insane amount of shops to help you minimize the amount of money in your savings account.

The *Galleries Lafayette*, named after General Lafayette, who, during the American Revolution, helped convince the French to assist the Americans against the British and who was also a member of George Washington's staff, is the place for shopping.

The store has five floors for you to explore with a wide range of products, it's like a JCPenney and Sears combined, but with



The world-famous Monte Carlo Casino with its beautiful fountain and gardens will take your breath away ... as well as any spare cash. Proper attire is a must for anyone wishing to enter the buildings, but you can wander through the gardens in casual attire.



French flavor. This is the place where all that money you saved on the hotel disappears.

Finally, for you romantics out there, each one of these cities have miles and miles of beautiful beaches for you and your significant other to share that nice moonlight walk on, just make sure to bring some Euro if you get tired and don't want to walk all the way back to your hotel.

Directions: From Vicenza, take the A4 to Milano/Verona. Continue until you reach Brescia and the connection to Piacenza, the A21. From Piacenza, you continue southwest on to the A26/A7 to Tortona / Alessandria. After which you get on the connection to Savona, and finally to Monte Carlo / Nice.

Most of the end (from Savona on down) of this route will take you along the Italian coastline, straight into France / Monte Carlo.

Middle: The port of Monte Carlo is also a popular place where the wealthy can dock their yachts while they play in the casinos and shop in the exclusive stores. (Photo courtesy of Monte Carlo Tourism)

Bottom: Nice, often referred to as the gem of the French Riviera, is only a 20-minute ride from Monte Carlo. The beaches are terrific and shopping is fantastic ... as are the prices. But savvy travellers can find bargains by contacting the French Tourism offices, which are clearly marked with italic *i*'s. (Photo courtesy of Nice Tourism.)

The streets of the municipality of Monaco are also the scene for the Monaco Grand Prix Formula One racing. (Photo courtesy of Monaco Tourism)

